# SOUTH EAST MARTS SALES NEWS



# HAILSHAM'S HEADLINES



# This Monday Store Cattle



### THURSDAY 7<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2022 HAILSHAM MARKET

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#### **BULL BANK**

Various breeds available – including; Young Sussex bull.

Three young Limousin bulls.

#### **DAIRY DIRECT**

Seventeen Friesian bulling heifers – saved as herd replacements – herd now dispersed.

Twelve Friesian Holstein/some with Norwegian Red blood cows & heifers – Calved or in-calf to sexed sem Shoice – pick what you like NMR Recorded Herd Avg 8300kg, 4.2 bf, 3.24% pro, 145cc – TB4.

#### **FODDER BANK**

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# Sad to report the death of

Sheila Hobbs of Fullingmill Farm, Lindfield

her funeral will take place at All Saints Church, Lindfield on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> April at 11am.

# Margret Eales

of Tendring Farm, Magham Down.

Passed away after 96 years on 17<sup>th</sup> March 2022

Will be sadly missed by all her family Contact R Butler & Sons, Hailsham for Arrangements Family flowers only please.

Donations to the Royal Agricultural Benevolent Institution.



# HAILSHAM MARKET THE STORE CATTLE CENTRE OF THE SOUTH

#### **SALE OF STORE CATTLE** – CUCKOO FAIR

MONDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2022

#### **OVER 300 HEAD ENTERED**

#### Entries include;

18 British Blue cross & Aberdeen Angus cross bulls , 7/9 months from J Visser.

**16** Limousin cross steers & heifers, 8/12 months from **D Harris**.

13 Hereford cross steers & heifers, 8/10 months from H Baker & Sons.

**35** British blue cross & Holstein cross steers & heifers 10/15 months from **JD Trunkfield**.

10 Simmental cross steers & heifers, 12 months from D Hobbs & Son.

11 Limousin cross steers & heifers, 10/14 months from RM & J Penny.

26 Simmental cross steers & heifers, 8/19 months from N Vidler.

10 Limousin cross steers & heifers, 12/20 months from R Page.

12 Limousin cross steers, 13/16 months from AD & M Woolgar.

**14** Aberdeen Angus cross British Friesian steers, 19/22 months from **M & J Franklin**.

19 Limousin cross steers & heifers, 19/22 months from JH Geering & Son.

8 Aberdeen Angus cross steers & heifers, 22/24 months from R Padfield.

Plus many many more.

## Looking ahead ....

Monday 25th April - Spring Show & Sale of Store Cattle

Judges: Chris & Tom Rea

Prizes awarded for:- THE BEST PEN OF STEERS & THE BEST PEN OF HEIFERS (any age, minimum of three per pen)

First Prize £25, Second Prize £15, Third Prize £10 **CHAMPION PEN** – The Don Hutchison Memorial Cup

Plus for the **BEST PEN OF HEIFERS** – The Dennis Walker Memorial Cup also £25 awarded for the **BEST PEN OF CONTINENTALS** and the **BEST PEN OF NATIVE BRED CATTLE**.

all stock entered on the day will be eligible for the show Prize money offered will only be presented for stock bona-fide sold.

#### HAILSHAM MARKET - PRIMESTOCK DAY

#### **PRIME STOCK** — WEDNESDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2022

**PRIME CATTLE (17)** (UNDERAGE & OVERAGE) Auctioneer: Roger Waters Better entry sell well – Tom Rea's Sussex steers sell to **239p** per kg and grosses **£1,254**. **M & J Franklin & Son's** Aberdeen Angus cross Friesian to **220p** per kg. Cattle looking short for next week – keep in touch.

#### **CULL COWS (10)** Auctioneer: Roger Waters

A real flyer – cull cows to **210p** per kg, the recent dramatic increase in values holds firm. Overall average achieved **175p** per kg and **£1,111** per head – new ground, new values. **Norman Hicks'** Limousins hit the high spot with **210p** per kg, others at **187p** & **177p** per kg. Best of the Native bred cows **MJ & ML McCubbine's** Hereford cross cow at **187p** and grosses **£1,243.55**.

#### **CALVES (8)** Auctioneer: Roger Waters

A steady trade for the eight calves offered – Mrs MEH Pile & Son's British Blue cross bulls £220 and heifers £175, R & S Farnes' British Friesian bulls to £85 per head.

#### PIGS (23) Auctioneer: Roger Waters

Perhaps a shaft of sunlight – **John Brooker's** 86kg Landrace entire **146p** per kg, gilts to **105p** per kg. **Norman Hicks** has White hybrid porkers to **92p** per kg. Crossbred Saddleback store pigs **£16** each.

#### SHEEP - 1148

Preamble:- The seventh week of war in the Ukraine, surely the government will wake up to the fact we need to defend our borders and as importantly source food from within the jurisdiction and stop importing from abroad immediately. This is an important lesson from history and it appears lessons haven't been learned – **WAKE UP ENGLAND!!** 

#### PRIME HOGGETS (595) Auctioneer: Nick Young

Atrocious weather conditions — did not dampen the ardour of sellers and buyers alike. However there is no doubt that at Hailsham and other centres in the country, heavy and ultra heavy hoggets are difficult to place. **Robert Smith** and **D,S & P Humphrey** share top slot at **£141** per head, Messrs **Humphrey** also had top price per kilo of **293.5p**.

**Leading prices:** RH Smith £141, D,S & P Humphrey £141, £135, M Woolgar £128, N Hacking £125 (twice), £122, JJ Bushell £125, £122, J West £125, Passmore-Coombe £125, AC Ellett £124, HH Visser £123, J & S Harmer £123, RD & DR Godden £122 (twice).

#### HAILSHAM MARKET - PRIMESTOCK DAY

**Leading prices per kilo:** D,S & P Humphrey 293.5p, 254.3p, FW & JM Akehurst 288.9p, 255.1p, E Gingell 278.5p, 271.8p, 267.4p, JJ Bushell 274.1p, 254.7p, 254.3p, M Woolgar 268.9p, J West 265.4p, H & N Bamber 265.2p, RD & DR Godden 264.1p, J Newington 259.6p, R Vincent £253.7p.

#### STORE HOGGETS (308) Auctioneer: Nick Young

The usual Hailsham humdinger – with fierce competition from all sectors, good to see away buyers in attendance. With prices this good in the stores, surely it is better to take profit now than sell on what must undoubtedly be a falling trade post Easter. **T Patton** takes top price at **£118**.

**Leading Prices:** T Patton £118 (twice), Sharnfold Farm £116, J West £114 (twice), £111, A Mitchell £114, R & S Carr Farms £114, £113 (twice), E Gingell £113, RM Woodham £112, A Standing £112, P Foord £111, £109, M Mckay £108.

#### **CULL EWES (214)** Auctioneer: Nick Young

A really terrific trade – with fierce competition and several upsets which surely proves how good the Hailsham trade is. A good entry, hard fought from first to last. Trade was significantly better than the national, keep these ewes coming, Ramadan ends at the end of April – get ready.

**Leading Prices:** D,S & P Humphrey £184, £176, RH Smith £165, £148, £146, H Hawkins & Co £160, £149, Passmore-Coombe £156 (twice), £145 (twice), £140, JJ Bushell £148, R Russell £147, V Miles £141.

#### **COUPLES (73)** Auctioneer: Nick Young

A remarkable trade – with R Pattenden's couples selling to £70 per life.

#### Please let us know what you have

Ring the market hotline on 01323 844874 or the Sheep hotline on 07890 359622



### **WOOL SHEETS AVAILABLE**

British Wool will be present at Hailsham Market for farmers to collect wool sheets on the following market days in April 2022;

Wednesday - 13th, 20th, 27th

British Wool, Walnut Tree Farm, Church Road, Smeeth, Ashford, Kent, TN25 6SA Telephone: 01233 622 444 – www.britishwool.org.uk

# Dates for your diary...

# Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2022

South of England Showground, Ardingly, RH17 6TL

Entries close Monday 11th April 2022

### Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Mill Farm Cranleigh, Surrey, GU6 8LB Sale of Tractors, Machinery & Livestock Equipment on behalf of Stovolds Hill Farms Ltd.

Selected entries of Tractors, Machinery, Agricultural & Livestock Equipment are being accepted for this sale.

**Entries close Tuesday 19th April 2022** 

### and then

### Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Lime End Farm, Herstmonceux, East Sussex, BN27 1RG

Entries close Friday 29th April 2022

### Saturday 21st May 2022

Morley Farm Henfield, West Sussex

Sale of Tractors, Arable Machinery, Workshop Tools all in excellent order on behalf of **RA & ME Gander**.

Entry forms for the above sales available from the office or as a download from our website.

#### East Sussex Farmers' Benevolent Fund

The Benevolent Fund charity was created in 1935 by a local farmer and its purpose is to support farmers, farm staff and those involved in the wider land-based industries. Support can also be given to family dependants. Beneficiaries are normally resident in East Sussex or neighbouring counties. Income from property and investment legacies help to finance the fund in addition to generous donations, the fund is overseen by five local trustees with strong agricultural connections.

Help can be for those currently in work, or who have retired or who are unable to work due to illness or disability. The fund can also assist those entering land-based education and help with relevant CPD for furthering land-based careers.

If you feel that we can help or you are aware of someone who might be experiencing difficulties we will be pleased to support. Please contact the Honorary Secretary of the Benevolent Fund.

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